

**Amendments to the Claims:**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

**Listing of Claims:**

1. (Currently Amended) A lesion or fistula isolating bag comprising:  
a bag having a closeable entrance, a closure for the closeable entrance, and attachment means for affixing the bag to the skin of a patient over a wound, the bag containing a first chamber, including the having a closeable entrance, and [[:]]a second chamber for providing access to the wound, the bag having a flexible partition separating the second chamber from the first chamber, the flexible partition including for application to a lesion or fistula, wherein access to the second chamber is made through the first chamber via a valve arranged to inhibit passage of fluid from the wound of the patient through the second chamber to the first chamber and to allow said access to the wound of the patient from the first chamber through [[to]] the second chamber; and,  
a closure for said closeable entrance.
2. (Original) A bag according to claim 1, wherein the closeable entrance is sealable.
3. (Previously Presented) A bag according to claim 1, wherein said valve includes at least two members which extend inside the bag and, when the closure is in a closed state, said members close to form the valve.
4. (Currently Amended) A bag according to claim 1, wherein the flexible partition comprises first and second adjacent layers of material, and the valve comprises portions of said first and second layers, including a first aperture in the first layer and a second aperture in the second layer which first and second apertures are arranged offset from one another. a flexible partition dividing the first and second chambers and comprising first and second adjacent layers with each layer including an aperture, the respective apertures being offset one from the other.
5. (Cancelled)
6. (Previously Presented) A bag according to claim 4 in which each aperture comprises a respective slit.
7. (Original) A bag according to claim 6 in which the slits extend generally parallel to one another.

8. (Previously Presented) A bag according to claim 4, wherein the first layer is formed of a material which is heavier than the material of the second layer.
9. (Previously Presented) A bag according to claim 4, wherein one layer is thicker than the other.
10. (Previously Presented) A bag according to claim 6, wherein the offset between the slits is between 5 mm and 100 mm.
11. (Previously Presented) A bag according to claim 6, wherein the slits are between 80 and 300 mm long.
12. (Previously Presented) A bag according to claim 4, wherein the bag comprises first and second bag portions, the first chamber being formed by the first bag portion and the second chamber being formed by the second bag portion.
13. (Previously Presented) A bag according to claim 4, wherein said closeable entrance is located on an outer edge of the first chamber .
14. (Previously Presented) A bag according to claim 4, wherein the closure is a zip fastener.
15. (Previously Presented) A bag according to claim 4, wherein the closure is a removable cover such as a lid.
16. (Previously Presented) A bag according to claim 4, wherein the bag includes a further aperture for the passage of fluid between atmosphere and the device.
17. (Original) A bag according to claim 16, wherein the further aperture comprises a drain.
18. (Previously Presented) A bag according to claim 4, wherein an outer surface of the second chamber is adherent.
19. (Previously Presented) A bag according to claim 4, wherein the first chamber has at least one overall dimension approximately equal to 50 mm.
20. (Currently Amended) A bag for isolating a lesion or fistula comprising:
  - a vessel comprising a first wall of flexible material with a first slit and a second wall opposite the first wall with a closeable opening, and a closure for the closeable entrance;
  - a bag including a second slit;wherein the vessel and bag are joined with one another such that the first and second slits are oriented in the same direction and are adjacent to, but offset from, one another and the joint surrounds an area encompassing the first and second slits.

21. (Previously Presented) A bag according to claim 1, wherein the bag is made from flexible polymers selected from a group consisting of polyethylene, polyvinyl chloride and ethyl vinyl acetate.
22. (Currently Amended) A bag according to claim 12, wherein there is a joint between the first and second bags and the joint is made by a welding process selected from the group consisting of thermal, radio-frequency and impulse welding.
23. (Cancelled)